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CHRISTMAS DAY

TO BE A HAPPY ONE AND WILL BE A WHITE ONE.

ALL STORES TO CLOSE

The Postoffice Will Be the Busiest Place in Town—One Delivery by the City Carriers.

Christmas will be a happy day for everyone in Maryville except those possessing the cross-grained nature which will permit of no happiness, regardless of sentiment, joyous surprises or digestive opportunities. It will also be a white Christmas or snowy one, being the first one for several years.

All of the Protestant churches will have Christmas eve entertainments this Wednesday evening to be given by the Sunday school children. There will be a treat at each of the churches, and the programs to be given are elaborate.

All of the business stores will be closed all day, the city offices and also the court house. The busiest place in the city will be the postoffice.

Santa Claus is now giving the local postoffice employees the work out of their lives with parcels big and little for every one of the family and those who did not send more substantial remembrances are sending the greeting of the season by post card or letter, and so—there is nary a bit of loafing in the new postoffice.

Although there is an unusually large number of parcels and letters this year, Postmaster Beech thinks the force will handle the rush in good shape.

The office will be open Christmas morning from 10 until 12:30 o'clock. There will be one city delivery by the city carriers.

Christmas Shoppers in Town.

Among the Christmas shoppers in Maryville Tuesday were Misses Carrie M. McClurg, Chloe Neal and Margaret McMillen of Pickering; Misses Stella Galbraith, May, Maud and Etta Evans of Bedison; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Loch of Pickering; Mrs. D. O'Connor of Conception; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Farnan, Mrs. Jessie Coffey, Mrs. J. B. Wren of Burlington Junction; Miss Clara Schrader and Mrs. N. Sowder of Pickering; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Outs of Barnard; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar M. Smith of Bolckow; Mrs. J. W. Miller, Mrs. C. W. Eaton and Wilmer Hubbard of Barnard; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Calfee of Elmo; Mrs. I. C. Roelofson and Mrs. Verdia Daniels of Barnard.

Here for Christmas Holidays.

Mrs. Brint McGrew and Miss Beatrice McGrew of Camden Point are spending the holidays in and near Maryville. They have been guests since Monday at the home of Mrs. Jessie Colden. Mrs. McGrew went to Barnard Tuesday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Goff. Miss Beatrice has taken up the course at the Christian Church School for Girls at Camden Point, and they will continue their residence there until her graduation.

Here for Christmas.

John Duncan and James Duncan, sons of Professor and Mrs. B. F. Duncan, are both in Maryville to spend the holidays at the home of their parents. James Duncan arrived last Thursday from Buenos Aires, South America, and the other son, John, arrived here last night from Waterford, Miss., where he is cashier of a bank there. James Duncan has been away for over two years.

Married by Judge Conn.

Oakley L. Smith of Martinsville, Mo., and Lula Maude Rippy of Parnell were married this morning by Probate Judge Conn. Judge Conn also married Fred C. Shell of Maryville and Clara E. Kenney of Quitman on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Clara Yount, who is employed in St. Joseph, visited in Maryville over Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Townsend. She went to Stanberry Tuesday to visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kennell, living south of Maryville, went to Clyde Tuesday to visit until after Christmas with Mrs. Kenneil's relatives, R. J. Ellerman and Miss Nora Ellerman.

NEELEY WANTS OUT.

The Elmo Physician, Who Was Sent to the Pen for Two Years, Is Getting Tired of the Place.

Dr. J. E. Neeley, the Elmo physician who was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary recently for bigamy, is getting tired of that place and wants out. In a letter to Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright he wants Mr. Wright to secure a pardon for him from the state board of pardons.

FOR DISTURBING THE PEACE.

Ray Graves and John Little of Quitman Arrested Wednesday by Sheriff Wallace.

Ray Graves and John Little of Quitman were arrested Wednesday by Sheriff Ed Wallace on a charge of disturbing the peace. The prosecuting witness is Charles Barnes. Both Graves and Little gave bond for their appearance at the January term of circuit court.

TO HAVE OWN LIGHT PLANT.

The Water Plant Now Has a Generator and Will Have Their Lights.

The water plant, which has been recently undergoing many improvements, such as new machinery being installed and building additions, and also a filter house, will now have its own light system. The lights will be all over the plant, in the engineer's residence and also other places over the plant.

A move has been suggested by some to have the county pay for a light on the 102 river bridge near the plant. It is a very dark place there and a light will be of great advantage to the travelers on that road.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

A Saloon License to Helier and a Pool Hall License to Granville Herndon.

A meeting of the city council was held Tuesday evening and a saloon license was granted to W. A. Heller and a pool hall license to Granville Herndon. The council entered into a contract with the board of public works for ten new fire hydrants to be put on the new extension of the water mains.

The council also ordered that the semi-annual interest payment of $2,375 be made on the water bond issue of $100,000. This is the second payment. No meeting of the council will be held now until the first of January.

THE OFFICIAL BLUE BOOK.

It Contains Interesting History of State and Also Other Information.

The Democrat-Forum Monday received from Secretary of State Roach a copy of the official manual of Missouri, the Blue Book. The book contains interesting history about old capitols of the state and a sketch of the new capitol, now building.

It contains a list of all appointments made by Governor Major as well as the various clerks in the state departments.

There is a complete list of the newspapers of the state with the names of their publishers.

The state vote of 1912 is tabulated on all state officers by counties and precincts.

It contains biographical sketches of state officers and the Missouri delegation in congress as well as their photographs. It is probably the most complete manual yet issued by the secretary of state. It has a fund of information concerning states and territories and municipalities.

Suit on Notes.

A suit filed Wednesday by Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison, attorneys, was for Jake A. Dearing and J. E. McFarland of Barnard against T. A. Lanning for three notes, being for $69.35, $29.50 and $26.50.

Land Sold for $175.

John H. Gray sold his 87-acre farm, about one mile north of Maryville, this week to Sherman Pierpoint for $175 an acre. Then Gray purchased the old Frazee farm from Pierpoint, containing 257 acres, for $130 an acre.

The following shippers contributed to Tuesday's receipts at St. Joseph from Nodaway county, Mo.: W. W. Jones, Ned Busby, W. H. Ramey, J. B. Donnelly, and Lowry & Sheley each disposed of a car of hogs, while E. E. Woodward and L. Busby each cashed a load of cattle—St. Joseph Stock Journal.

HURRAH! A WHITE CHRISTMAS!

Weather Office Promises Snow for Entire Central States.

It's to be a white Christmas. The Kansas City weather office report last night promised it.

The snow will be general throughout the Missouri valley. The official report stated that heavy snow is indicated in western Kansas, northern and western Missouri, southern Iowa and southeastern Nebraska. From the lower Mississippi valley rapidly developing storms will move north and northeastward, covering the entire central United States with a blanket of snow by Christmas morning.

The temperature remained around 30 yesterday and last night and will not go any lower today. The indication is for rising temperature after today.

Turkey free tonight at the Fern.

WAIVED PRELIMINARY.

Fred Sheldon, Charged With Stealing Chickens, Was Bound Over to Circuit Court.

The preliminary hearing of Fred Sheldon was waived Tuesday afternoon and he was bound over to the January term of circuit court. His bond was fixed at $500.

Sheldon is charged with stealing eleven chickens from George Loomis, a farmer living four miles northeast of Clyde and selling them for $5.15 to James Donnell, the poultry buyers at Conception Junction.

Sheldon claims he is 19 years old and that his stepfather lives in the Gaynor City neighborhood. He is a farm hand and has been working in the Clyde neighborhood.

Miss Lora Kinnard went to Sheridan Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Kinnard.

ANOTHER CAR HERE.

Pipes for the New Mains Being Received—The Route for the Main in Southeast Maryville.

Another car of pipes for the new water mains was received Wednesday and are being unloaded by E. E. Tilton. This makes the third received and there are still three cars that will arrive next week. The pipes are to be used for mains in the southeast and northeast parts of the city.

Manager Lou Denny of the water plant went out Tuesday afternoon in the southeast part of the city and secured many new customers for the water company by reason of the main being put in. This section of the city has been without a water main. The contract that was signed by these people is for a term of five years. As now planned, the main in that part of the city will go on these streets: South on Depot street to Halasey, then west to Hester, then north to Edwards, then west to Dewey.

The contract price for the mains is a very good one, being the lowest price within the last several years. It is figured that the city saved something like $400 on the mains in buying the pipes now.

St. Joseph Auto Show.

The St. Joseph Automobile show, to be held February 4th to 7th, 1914, is already attracting the attention of all the big manufacturers and dealers in autos. The number of entries already made assures the management that the entire exhibiting space at the Auditorium will be taken long before the show opens.

Many novelties, such as Siren auto horns, on which tunes can be played, self-starters, electric airpumps, tourist's kit and all the latest accessories for auto owners will be exhibited.

Mrs. John Bare of Barnard visited in Maryville Tuesday afternoon at St. Francis hospital with her daughter, Mrs. Lulu Hornbuckle, who is a patient there.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Porchers and two children went to Leavenworth, Kan., Tuesday evening for a two days visit with his father at the soldiers' home.

With the Season's Best Wishes

So it is in the heart of every man at this Yuletide and we wish to join the chorus with all sincerity. It is our wish during the coming year to render to all our friends and patrons every service at our command. This bank will be closed tomorrow.

THE REAL ESTATE BANK

George B. Baker, Pres. E. E. Williams, Cashier

ANNUAL MEETING SUNDAY.

First Christian Church Congregation Will Hear Reports of Various Departments.

The First Christian church of this city will hold its annual meeting and basket dinner in an all-day session on Sunday. Reports will be heard from the various departments and a meeting of the women of the church will be held in the afternoon to perfect an organization that was started last week for systematic work in the city. A basket dinner will be given at 12 o'clock.

DIED AFTER YEAR'S ILLNESS.

Mrs. Charles Baker Passed Away Tuesday Night at Her Home in Graham—Funeral Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Baker of Graham died Tuesday night at her home, after a year's illness of paralysis. The funeral services will be held at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at the German Methodist church in Graham, conducted by Rev. Meyers. Burial will take place in Prairie Home cemetery.

Mrs. Baker was 57 years old. She is survived by her husband and two sons, Wesley Baker at home and George Baker of Barnard.

Marriage Licenses.

H. Everett Morrison.....Maryville
Alma Wiseman.....Maryville
Oakley L. Smith.....Martinsville
Lula Maude Rippy.....Parnell
Ernest E. Raines.....Burlington Jct.
Arietta Jones.....Elmo
George P. Kegin.....Maryville
Hope E. Florea.....Hopkins
D. Ross Garten.....Hopkins
Roy A. Hawley.....Ravenwood
E. Bertha Nelson.....Bolckow
Charles E. Stevens.....Tarkio
Euphemia Nichols.....Tarkio
John R. Bodle.....Skidmore
Leta Josephine Pruitt.....Elmo

NO PAPER CHRISTMAS.

There will be no issue of The Daily Democrat-Forum on Christmas day, and here's hoping that you all have a Merry Christmas.

Miss Anna Brant went to Clyde Tuesday for a Christmas visit with her brother, Henry Brant.

THE WEATHER

Snow tonight and Thursday; much colder.

NEWS STAND WILL CLOSE CHRISTMAS DAY.

There will be no delivery of the papers and no papers.

W. G. A. EDWARDS, Prop.

CITY NOW HAS 6,720

AS FIGURED OUT BY THE NEW CITY DIRECTORY.

THE COUNTY HAS 32,000

There Are 1,608 Heads of Families and 26 Vacant Houses—Quite an Increase Over 1910.

The population of Maryville is 6,720, according to the new city and county directory being issued here, and which will be ready for distribution about the first of February. In this census is also included families living close to the city limits. The government census for 1910 gave Maryville 4,762.

Maryville has been growing rapidly within the past few years, and it is the opinion of a great number that the city now has close to 5,500 within the city limits. Some even say it is 6,000. Many people are moving in the city every day and a great many more would if suitable places to rent could be found. Any number of people who are coming to the city to reside go to some other town to live, as a suitable house can't be found here with all of the modern conveniences.

The estimated population of the county by the directory is 32,000, as compared to 28,833 of the government census of 1910.

There are 1,608 heads of families by streets in the city, and there are 26 vacant houses here, all of the houses being in a bad condition.

J. Maloney Publishing Co., of the T. Maloney is in charge of the work here and he has twenty-six years of experience with this work.

Mr. Maloney states that there is an average of about four to a family in Maryville. The general average is about five to a family.

Mrs. Lizzie Harbison went to St. Joseph Tuesday evening to visit her son and daughter.

W. O. W. DANCE
.....IN.....
Woodman Hall
Thursday Evening December 25th
You Are Cordially Invited

To-Night--"The Foreman's Treachery"

A two-reel Edison feature. Here is a great story of the Welsh mines. An old miser, his beautiful daughter, his half-witted son, a handsome young workman in a nearby copper mine, and the false foreman who impersonates a ghost—these are the characters that carry a story of intense interest from first to last.

FISH WITH STORAGE BATTERY ITS BRAIN, educational.
THE PEARL OF THE BOSPHORUS, CONSTANTINOPLE, scenic.

THE EMPIRE THEATRE, of Course

THE EMPIRE THEATRE

Desires to express thanks for your patronage during the year just passed and takes this opportunity of wishing you a Merry Christmas and a truly Happy New Year.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

(From Democratic Press Bureau.)

Thanks to the utilities board created by the last legislature the express companies have at last been brought to time and the people will get substantial relief from charges that have always seemed out of all reason. Beginning January 1 a reduction that will average between 12 and 15 per cent will be made. This will mean a saving of tens of thousands of dollars to the people every year, and will be another proof of the wisdom of the Democratic legislature which replaced an expensive and useless railroad commission with a board which was not only willing but able to do things for the people. No corporation can now raise its rates without the consent of this board. Present rates must be lowered at its command if corporations cannot prove to the satisfaction of the board that they are fair and just. The board has earned thousands of dollars above its salaries and is proving a boon to the state in more ways than one.

The Democratic party helps the Merry Christmas and Happy New Year stunts along by contributing a reform in the currency and an abatement of the tariff graft to the people of America.

Except for President Wilson and a Democratic congress it would have been another Merry Christmas to Wall street and the tariff-fattened trust.

According to statistics deposits in Missouri banks are 14 million dollars more than they were a year ago. This is a great increase for one year and shows that Missouri is in a prosperous condition, and should put to shame some of the calamity howlers who stated that there would be a "panic" if the Democrats got in power. —Memphis Democrat.

Etched sherbets, cut stems and etched plates, half dozen of each for $5.00 at Raines Bros.'

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Will Meet December 31.

The Home Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet Wednesday, December 31, at the home of Mrs. J. Arthur Wray.

For St. Louis Guest.

Mrs. Herbert Langsdorf has invited the girls of the Hum Drum club to meet her sister, Miss Helen Bloch of St. Louis at her home Friday afternoon. Miss Bloch will arrive in Maryville Christmas morning.

Pre-Nuptial Dinner.

Mrs. Melissa Casteel entertained with a pre-nuptial dinner Wednesday at 12 o'clock, a compliment to her daughter, Miss Hazel Ritchie, who will be married Thursday afternoon to Mr. John Hoffman. The occasion was made a family Christmas festival, and after dinner the presents from the Christmas tree were distributed. The company included Miss Ritchie, Mr. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green and children, and Mr. Charles Hoffman, a brother of Mr. John Hoffman, who arrived Wednesday for the wedding, and the hostess.

Married in Their Home.

George Keegin of this city and Miss Hope Florea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Florea of Hopkins, will be married at 5:30 o'clock this Christmas eve by 'Squire W. L. Johnson. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bridal couple, at the corner of Eighth and Buchanan streets, which is all ready for their occupancy. The guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Pat Keegin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Claycomb, Mr. and Mrs. Art Garten, Mr. and Mrs. James Keegin. A wedding supper prepared by the bridegroom's mother will be served immediately after the ceremony. Mr. Keegin is the baker at Garton & Trusty's restaurant.

Ritchie-Hoffman Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Hazel Ritchie and Mr. John I. Hoffman will be solemnized Christmas day at the home of the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Melissa Casteel, 704 East First street. The ring ceremony will be read by Rev. Robert L. Finch of the First Christian church, in the presence of immediate relatives and a fe wfriends. The rooms are being adorned Wednesday in Christmas colors, and a touch of white will be added Christmas morning.

The bride and groom will have no attendants other than the five small nieces and nephews of the bride, Mildred and Doris Wallace, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace; Harold and Eldon Green, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green, and Walter Mutz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz.

At the opening of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Miss Nelle Campbell, an aisle for the bride and groom, formed of white ribbons and smilax, will be made to the altar by Mildred and Doris Wallace, Harold Green and Walter Mutz, who will also carry crystal baskets of flowers. Following will be Eldon Green, carrying the wedding ring in a calla lily.

The bride's wedding gown will be a draped style en train, in white crepe de chene, with trimmings of lace and pearls. She will carry a prayer book in white and gold, instead of the usual bouquet of bride roses.

After the ceremony a three-course wedding luncheon will be served from small tables. The assistants at the wedding will be Misses Della and Kittie Grems. The bride's table will have for its center a large crystal basket of narcissus and stevia, while the guest tables will be centered with small crystal baskets of green and white flowers. Altogether it will be one of the prettiest home weddings that has taken place here for some time.

Mr. Hoffman and his bride will leave on an evening train (which one they have not designated) for Bucyrus, O., which will be their home for the coming six months. After that they will live in Washington, D. C. Mr. Hoffman has held the office of secretary of the Maryville Commercial club for the past year and has proved himself a splendid man in that place. He is a young man of the highest honor and leaves Maryville with the best wishes of our people, especially the business men. He has accepted the office of secretary of the National Photographers' association, an enviable position for a young man. He has won for his wife one of Maryville's sweetest and winsomest girls, and this alone would entitle him to favor. Miss Ritchie has been a successful teacher in our city schools for three years and a general social favorite.

The wedding guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crow, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hoffman of Ney, O.; Mr. and Mrs. McNeal of Des Moines, Charles Hoffman of Creighton Medical School at Omaha, Misses Della and Kittie Grems, Miss Nelle Campbell, Miss Maud Bainum, Miss Ada Albert.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Christmas day will see many happy gatherings throughout the city, and we have gathered a number of them for you to think over as you are enjoying your own Christmas day, and we will wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, we ask you to look over these companies at dinner tomorrow:

Mrs. Rebecca Gray will have a company of relatives at her home Christmas day at 12 o'clock dinner. They will be Mr. and Mrs. John Swearengen of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wright of Blockton, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Douglas and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Wright of Bedison; Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gray of Parnell, Edward Gray, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright of this city.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Allender will give a Christmas dinner Thursday. Their guests will be Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Allender and son of Atlantic, Ia.; Dr. Roland Allender of Boone, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Campbell of Fort Scott, Kan.; Frank Wallis of Pickering, Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Wallis, Sr., Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallis, Jr., and Dr. Frank Wallis.

Mrs. Lafe Hagins and Miss Maud Hagins will entertain at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Newton Hagins, Wesley Hagins, Wade Smith and Donald Hagins.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp will have for their guests at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Epperson, Mrs. Paul Epperson, Mrs. Harry Kerr of Des Moines, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. George Kemp, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Whitmer of Mound City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Bellows have invited the following relatives to be their guests for Christmas day dinner: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Douglas, Miss Nellie Douglas, Mrs. M. J. Honnold, Mrs. George P. Bellows, Harold Bellows, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Douglas of Bedison, Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bellows, Donald and Mary Jane Bellows, and Fred Bellows, who is at home from Ames college.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank's guests at dinner Christmas day will be Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows, Mr. and Mrs. Beal Roseberry and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Miss Nelle Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. Arch K. Frank and daughter.

Mr. R. C. Benight of Cannon City, Col., will arrive Wednesday night to eat Christmas dinner with his family in this city. Mr. Benight is president of the Colo-Mo Mining company at Cannon City.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson will entertain at dinner Christmas day Mrs. Theodore L. Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson and sons and Miss Nelle Saunders.

Dr. and Mrs. D. R. McLeod will have for their Christmas dinner guests Mrs. A. R. Perrin, Mrs. Mary Sherburne of Mankato, Minn.; Mrs. Lottie Oman, Lona L. Perrin of St. Joseph and Miss May Growney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood and family of Hopkins will be Christmas dinner guests in the city at the home of Mr. Wood's parents, Captain and Mrs. I. M. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Wade will have two of their sons with them at Christmas dinner—Ross Wade, who is here for the winter, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wade and daughter of Brookfield. An other son, Charles Wade, and his wife will be with their New Years.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Nash and Misses Alma and Elizabeth Nash will go to Stanberry Christmas Day for a day's visit at the home of Mrs. Nash's brother, Edward T. Houston. Two other brothers, Henry and John S. Houston, and their families will also be present.

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Brown and their granddaughter, Miss Martha Ellsworth, living southwest of the city, went to Grinnell, Ia., Wednesday to attend the golden wedding anniversary celebration of Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. James S. Sparks, on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Taylor and children went to Tarkio Wednesday to eat Christmas dinner with Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Filbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Green will be Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Strong of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Younke will entertain at Christmas dinner at their home, north of the city. Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baublitts, Mr. and Mrs. George Wright and children and the five daughters of the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ashford, living east of the city, will spend Christmas day with relatives in Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith will be Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shanks of St. Joseph.

Miss Mary Hughes of the State Normal faculty went to King City Wednesday to be the Christmas dinner guest of Miss Bertha Pence.

Mrs. Walter Wiles and daughter, Miss Louise Shinkel, went to Albany Wednesday to be the Christmas dinner guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alexander of near Orrsburg will entertain at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Alexander of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crabb of Portland, Ore., and Miss Ethel Wells of Maryville. Mr. Crabb arrived Wednesday. The visitors expect to leave Sunday for their Western home.

Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Koch will entertain at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lind, living north of the city. Mr. Lind and Dr. Koch will spend the afternoon hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lyle will be Christmas dinner guests of Mr. Lyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lyle, living southeast of the city. It will be a reunion of the Lyle family.

Robert McKenzie of Omaha and Frank McKenzie of Burlington Junction will be Christmas dinner guests of their sister, Mrs. Del Thompson.

Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Ryan, Harold Ryan and Peter Rouey and sons will be Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ed Costello.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toel will have for their guests for Christmas dinner their son, Court W. Toel of Little Rock, Ark; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Will Montgomery, Miss Ruth Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Gann will entertain Christmas day Mrs. Sarah Leet, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Leet, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gann, Horace Leet and Miss Elizabeth Leet.

Mrs. Katherine Wood and daughters, Misses Sadie and Ethel Wood will have for their Christmas dinner guests Mrs. Wood's daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Sattro and her two sons of Red Oak, Ia.

Miss Nannie McNeal went to Pickering Wednesday to partake of Christmas dinner with her mother, Mrs. Aaron McNeal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Willoughby and son went to Maysville Wednesday to be Christmas dinner guests of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Miller and daughter of Emporia, Kan., arrived Wednesday to be Christmas dinner guests of Mr. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter of Kansas City will arrive Christmas day to be the dinner guests of Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith.

R. G. Cornelius of Des Moines arrived Wednesday to join Mrs. Cornelius on her Christmas visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Murrin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Glaze went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning and will be Christmas dinner guests of their son, Dr. George Glaze and family.

Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas left for Tarkio Tuesday evening to be present at a family reunion Christmas day at the home of Dr. Thomas' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Forsyth and daughter will entertain at Christmas day dinner Mrs. L. Michau, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Forsyth, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, Dr. and Mrs. Edward H. Williams and son of New York.

Turkey free tonight at the Fern.

THE N. W. MUTUAL LIFE
Insurance Co. of Milwaukee.

Sterling silver sandwich trays and lemon sets at Raines Bros.

Notice to Tax Payers
Only a Few More Days—
JANUARY FIRST
Until the One per cent penalty goes into effect
Office at Fisher's Garage
1st Door West Townsend's Store
F. S. GRUNDY
Twp. Collector

Berney Harris
WISHES
"May your fondest dreams
Come true the coming year"
Greetings of the Season to all

Our Sincerest Wish Is:
That All Our Friends May Enjoy
A Merry Christmas
and
Many, Many Happy New Years
The Elite Millinery

To Our Many Friends
We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year and hope you will be able to pass it along with the same spirit in which we say it to you.
Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Turner
Mark's 5 and 10 cent Store

THANK YOU
A Merry Christmas
and
A Happy New Year
Raines Brothers
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS

Our Wish is
A Happy Christmas
and
Prosperous New Year
to all our
Friends and Customers
Parisian Millinery
Maryville's Fashion Center

We Wish You
A Merry Christmas
And a
Happy and Prosperous
New Year
The Toggery Shop
TATE BROTHERS

Merry
Christmas
For You
Is the wish of the officers of this Bank. This is the time of Joyfulness and closes a season of prosperity and advancemeut for Nodaway county people and we rejoice with you in your well-being.
This bank will be closed tomorrow.
Farmers Trust Co.

We have had a very prosperous year and we wish to thank you. Wishing you a Very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.
C. F. Remus

With full appreciation of all
courtesies shown us during the year 1913
We extend our best wishes
for
A Merry Christmas
and
A Happy and Prosperous New Year
H. T. Crane

D. R. Eversole & Son

Wish all of their friends and customers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Tomorrow being Christmas this Store will not be open for business

Our Franchise

Was voted and given us by the people of Maryville and it is our duty to serve them for the privilege granted. The people are entitled to service of the best and we are entitled to a reasonable return on our investment.

Maryville's Interests Are Our Interests

For the better the town the better our returns. You may rely on the Maryville Electric Light and Power Company always looking forward and being prepared to meet any demand for service put upon them.

Maryville Electric Light & Power Co.
Empire Theatre Building
Hanamo 21

GREETINGS

We take this opportunity "The Glad Holiday Season" to wish all of our friends and patrons a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. We appreciate and thank you for your valued patronage and most pleasant business relations. Wishing you the compliments of the season, we remain

Sincerely Yours

C. A. BARBOUR
South Side Hardwarre

4 Per Cent **4 Per Cent**

Gillam-Jackson Loan & Trust Co.

No better resolution could be made for New Years than "I Am Going to Start a Savings Account With the Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co."

WE WILL PAY YOU
4%
ON YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNTS
No Account too Small

Money deposited on or before January 5th draws interest from the first of the year. Saving is sound sense and the secret of success. Take advantage of our 4 per cent offer and let us help you save.

We Were the First to Pay 4 per cent on Savings Accounts

S. G. GILLAM, Pres — JOS. JACKSON, SR., Vice Pres.
C. C. CORWIN, Treas. — JOS. JACKSON, JR., Sec'y.
HARVEY C. M'CLARY, Ass't Treas.

4 Per Cent **4 Per Cent**

Death at Barnard.

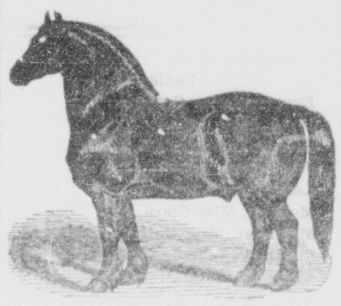
John Moffitt, living three miles northwest of Barnard, died at his home Wednesday morning after a three weeks' illness. The funeral services will be held at the home Christmas morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holt of North Main street will entertain at Christmas dinner Mrs. M. H. Holt, Miss Gladys Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Cole, northeast of Maryville will entertain at Christmas dinner. Their guests will include Mr. and Mrs. William Bowers of Conway and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kernen of Bedford.

Turkey free tonight at the Fern.

Wanted---Horses



I WILL BE AT THE
Star Barn
Saturday, December 27
To buy Horses, Mares and Mules, anything that is marketable.
Charles H. Roach

A GREAT KANSAS CITY CITIZEN.

Charles Campbell, Who Died Tuesday Evening Was a Relative of Maryville People.

Charles Campbell of Kansas City, of whom the Kansas City papers spoke Wednesday as "one of Kansas City's foremost men in commercial and official circles since 1897,' died at his home, Thirty-Sixth and Main streets, "White Gables," Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock, from an illness that had confined him to his home since last February.

Mr. Campbell's wife is a sister of Mrs. C. D. Hooker and S. H. Townsend of this city, and an aunt of Edward L. Townsend of this city.

Mr. Campbell is survived by his wife and five sons, Robert John Campbell of the Campbell Glass and Paint company; Herbert Charles Campbell, connected with the mining department of the Central Coal and Coke company; Philip DePauw Campbell, with the Bunting-Stone Hardware company; Paul Townsend Campbell of the Fidelity Trust company, and Keith Campbell, who is yet in school, all of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wiseman of the Wesley Chapel neighborhood will have for their Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Morton, Miss Charity Wiseman, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morton and family, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Kelley and family, Ivan Kelley of Elmo.

Mrs. Wellington Dusenberry of Canton, Mo., arrived Tuesday for an over-Christmas visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Colvin and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Carpenter.

Mrs. C. E. Pickett of Creston, formerly Miss Vera Sayler, will arrive in the city Wednesday evening to spend a part of Christmas day with her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. H. Sayler.

Our business of the past year has been very prosperous and we thank the public for their patronage. Wishing you A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year.

Hotchkin's Variety Store

FERN! FERN! FERN!

Joyce of The North Woods

Have you read the Book, if not see it at the FERN Tomorrow. Christmas Day, Matinees at 3 and 4 o'clock.

Night 7, 8:10 and 9:15

May the Gladdest of all
Christmas Jollities
Greet your presence wherever You go
And may your two stockings be filled with the feet of the happiest person I know
E. G. OREAR, Manager of
The Orear-Henry Drug Store

We appreciate the liberal patronage the public has given us the past year and wish each and everyone

A Merry Christmas
and
Prosperous New Year

Hudson & Welch

KESSLER'S
5, 10 and 25 cent Store

Extends

Season's greetings and thank all for their liberal patronage and wish you a Merry Christmas and Prosperous New Year.

EFFORTS.

Our efforts have been appreciated, which has been shown by the liberal patronage of our store this season.

We have tried hard to show the people of Maryville—not the largest stock in Northwest Missouri—but SOMETHING NEW IN OUR LINES---and---judging from the crowds that daily filled our store---- THIS FACT WAS REALIZED.

If for any reason anyone was slighted or neglected in their shopping at our store, we assure you it was not intentional. We wish to thank our old and new friends very heartily for their patronage, and assure them that in the coming year we shall strive to merit a continuation of that patronage.

Wishing you one and all a very Hearty and Merry Christmas and a most Prosperous and Happy New Year, we are

Very Sincerely,

DeHart and Holmes
"Maryville's Live Jewelers"
W. LEWIS DEHART — J. LIEBER HOLMES

SERIOUS CATARRH YIELDS TO HYOMEI

Do not let this serious disease extend along the delicate mucous membrane, gradually going from the nose to the throat, thence into the bronchial tubes and downward into the lungs.

There is no other treatment for catarrh that is like Hyomei or just as good. None can take its place, none give such quick, effective and sure relief and at so little cost—furthermore the Orear-Henry Drug Co. will refund your money if you are not satisfied.

Begin using Hyomei now—today—and see how quickly the droppings into the throat, the discharge from the nose, sniffling and all other symptoms of catarrh are overcome; and remember—no stomach drugging—you breathe it. The complete outfit containing inhaler and bottle of liquid costs but $1.00. Extra bottles of liquid, if later needed, 50 cents.

Suit on a Note.

A suit filed Wednesday in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office was a suit on a note of $4,455.50 by John Allen vs. I. L. Wright. The attorneys for the plaintiff are Cook, Cummins & Dawson.

Won the Big Doll.

Mrs. H. J. Morton of 803 East Third street won the big doll at M. A. Turner's store on Tuesday evening. Her number was 3278.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Of Grant township, that I will be in Arkoe Friday, Dec. 26.

A. L. ROBISON, Collector.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Teaford will go to Savannah Christmas morning to visit their parents and attend a family reunion.

Cold in Head

Relieved in one minute. Money back if it fails. Get a 25c or 50c tube of

KONDON'S Catarrhal Jelly

Use it quick. For chronic nasal catarrh, dry catarrh, sore nose, coughs, sneezing, nose bleed, etc. Write for free sample. The first drop used will do good. Ask druggists.

Kondon Mfg. Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Farm For Sale to Divide An Estate

The farm of Joseph and Thomas Johnson has been placed in our hands for a quick sale in order to settle an estate. This farm consists of 160 acres of fine land with a good 6-room house, also a new 2-room house, barn 32x34, granary 8x24, corn crib 8x24, implement shed 11x24, 2 chicken houses, good cave, 2 windmills, 3 wells, fenced in four fields, 30 acres hog fence, 35 acres wheat, 11 acres alfalfa, 40 acres corn, balance bluegrass and meadow. The wheat land sown to timothy and clover, 6½ miles from Maryville, Mo., 4½ miles from Ravenwood, Mo., 4 miles from Bedison, Mo., all of which are railroad shipping points and put you in touch with three main line railroads, the Wabash, Great Western and Burlington, and located on the state highway, also the county seat highway. Only 4 acres of this land that cannot be plowed, and is a dandy farm. Come and see us at once and get the price.

HOLMES & WOLFERT

Greetings of the Season To All

For their very liberal patronage during this year.

May your Christmas and the New Year be filled with prosperity and happiness

Corwin-Murrin Clothing Co.

Merry Christmas

To all our patrons and patrons-to-be in all the happy households in Maryville from the

New York Candy Kitchen

Include our candies in your good resolutions for the New Year.

Miss Alma Hotchkiss, who is taking a course in the teachers' college at the state university, arrived home Wednesday noon to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Anna Hotchkiss. Miss Hotchkiss left Columbia about a week ago with the Rio Grande Land company as reader and entertainer on a trip to Texas. There were about thirty in the party and among them were President E. A. Hall of the company and Mrs. Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hall, Miss Hallie Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Cundiff, Dr. W. H. Brown and Joseph Brown of Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Logan of Dearborn.

Wishing you the best of happiness, honor and fortune through the coming years for your many favors.

We extend to you the Compliments of the Season. Hoping Christmas may bring you a hundred fold more than ever before.

Price & McNeal

FOR SALE

80 acres, 1 mile of Maryville; house, barn and silo; an ideal dairy farm.

120 acres 3 miles out, 8 room house, 2 good barns, 10 acres in alfalfa.

180 acres 4 miles out, 8 room house, barn on concrete foundation; improvements all new.

257 acres 2 miles out, 8 room house, 2 good barns and other buildings, well watered.

Prof. H. K. Taylor property at corner of Fourth and Dunn, modern 8 room house, big lot.

Modern 7 room house with garage, close in; this property is new.

1 acre lot in best part of Burlington Junction, up-to-date 8 room house, furnace heat, barn.

These properties are priced right—see us.

RHODES LAND COMPANY
We Write Insurance.

J. O. BOLIN AUCTIONEER

Office with R. S. Braniger, the seed and feed man, east side of square. All phones. Phone me for terms and dates at my expense. All business cheerfully attended to. Or can see W. F Bolin for terms and dates.

Your Sales Wanted
NUFF SAID.

We extend best wishes to all our patrons and friends. May Prosperity and pleasure be thy portion this Christmas tide, and the coming New Year.

THE CITY MEAT MARKET

A. VANDERSLOOT, Prop.

BIG THREE OF CENTRAL B. C.

Fortunes were made in Winnipeg, Edmonton, Calgary and Vancouver realty.

Swift winged opportunity again presents itself.

Circulars describing New Hazelton, Fort George and Hubert townsites, strategic trade centers, rich mineral finds, vast anthracite coal discovery, climate and agriculture along Grand Trunk Transcontinental mailed free on request. Lots sold on liberal terms.

W. H. GHORMLEY, Sales Solicitor, Hopkins, Missouri

"Not the only time we wish you well,—
But one of the many, many times——
MERRY CHRISTMAS!"

THE SPIRIT OF this 1913th Christmas-time prompts us to express our Appreciation to the community collectively and to each of our friends individually, for any part they have played in making this a most prosperous year for us.

May December 25th be numbered among your YULETIDE memories as the Happiest Christmas of them all,—is the wish of

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK, Maryville, Missouri
A BANK FOR SAVINGS

FARM LOANS

$50,000.00
FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS
$50,000.00

—TO—

Loan on Nodaway County Improved Farms

Rates Reasonable, Terms Reasonable, Liberal Payments
For Information Apply to

JAMES B. ROBINSON
At NODAWAY VALLEY BANK Maryville, Missouri

MANY ROAD CONTRACTS SIGNED.

But There Are a Number Still Unsigned and That Should Be Attended To.

A number of the road dragging contracts, which have been put in the hands of County Highway Engineer John Clary, have been signed by farmers and land owners over the county signifying that they are willing to drag a stipulated stretch of road at the rate of $15 per year for each mile dragged as directed.

Many of the contracts which were sent out have not yet been heard from. Within the last week or so there are many who have made either verbal or written applications for them and have been refused until more contracts can be printed.

It is to the interest of all those who desire good roads to see that all the mileage on the county seat highways is taken by some one, as the highway commission has neither time nor finances to personally see each person along all of the roads.

Those who have signed the contracts to drag sections of the various roads are:

Bedford road—W. F. Ramsey, 1 mile; W. B. Hanna, 1 mile; E. C. Wolfers, 9 miles.

Rock Port road—D. O'Grady, 1 mile; J. S. Carden, 4½ miles.

Albany road—H. H. Gard, 2 miles; A. J. Pfeiffer, 2¼ miles.

Grant City road—J. P. Scowden, 2 miles; J. B. Taylor, 1 mile; M. S. Casteel, 1 mile; Preston Seafers, 1 mile; Alva Hunt, 2 miles.

Clarinda road—Lewis Rogers, 2 miles; A. J. Hughes, 3½ miles; L. L. Hart, 1 mile; J. E. Beam, 2 miles.

The only road for which no contract has been received is the Maryville-Oregon highway.

Action has just been taken by County Highway Commissioner Clary which will result in the straightening and widening of the road running along the A. C. Ford farm, near the Shell school house. At the corner near the school house the road has a large crook in it which will be straightened and the whole road for the distance of about one-fourth mile east of the corner and one eighth mile south of the corner will be widened from 20 feet to 40 feet. This change has been pending for about two years.

Turkey free tonight at the Fern.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—7,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate Friday, 5,000.

Hogs—2,300. Market 5c higher; top, $7.90. Estimate Friday, 30,000.

Sheep—12,000.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,000. Market strong.

Hogs—5,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.80.

Sheep—2,000.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—700. Market strong.

Hogs—5,300. Market 5c higher; top, $7.80.

Sheep—1,600.

THE N. W. MUTUAL LIFE
Insurance Co. of Milwaukee.

Turkey free tonight at the Fern.

Good Things To EAT!

Leaf Lettuce
Head Lettuce
Celery
Cranberries
Kumquats
Sweet Potatoes
Cauliflower
Cucumbers
Peppers
Radishes
Fresh Onions
Spinach
Grapes
Oranges
Figs
Dates

Schumacher's

A Victor Victrola In Your Home

Brings the greatest singers and musicians in the world to you. We have them in all woods and sizes at $15.00 up. Records of all authors to choose from.

Our Piano Department

Our store holds the best there is in Pianos. Make your selections from any of our makes.

D. W. Snoderly

F. R. ANTHONY, M. D.,
Specialist
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Office hours 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

A Pure Cream of Tartar Powder

Indispensable to best results—saves worry—saves work—saves money—saves health—saves complaints at table

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, December 24, 1913:

Gentlemen.

Estes, Alfred (2).
Fugg, B. (official).
Guile, James.
Hartley, A. D.
Hager, Charles (official).
Holt, Clarence.
Kent, Charlie.
Mass, Joseph G.
Simpson, D.
Thompson, D. N.

Ladies.

Eperson, Miss Georgia.
Head, Miss Leah.
Howard, Mrs. Grace E.
Jones, Mrs. John.
Lane, Miss Lucile.
McMinn, Miss Clara.
Mysinger, Mrs. Mattie.
Smith, Miss Madge.
Thornton, Mrs. Mary.
Wells, Mrs. T. H.

Persons calling for the above named letters please say "advertised."

S. R. BEECH, Postmaster.

Santa's Best Present

A HANAMO TELEPHONE

Relieve Your Tired and Weary Wife. Save Her, the Thousands of Unnecessary Steps.

SURELY YOU COULD NOT BETTER PLEASE HER.

This Gift Will be a Convenience and a Pleasure Every Day of The Year. . . . . .

First Aid TO Holiday Shoppers

Are you sometimes "put to it" to provide the ready cash for the JOYOUS SEASON?

Do you sometimes have to have the goods "charged"?

Avoid It All
JOIN OUR CHRISTMAS CLUB

Every member of the family may join, and by depositing a few cents weekly, 5c, 2c, 1c or more PROVIDE THIS CHRISTMAS MONEY

Any member of the family may deposit for all, each will have a separate account
Our circulars and advertisements tell you all about the PLAN
OR YOU MAY CALL AT THE BANK

Farmers Trust Co.

Abstracts Of Title

Are necessary when you buy or sell, borrow or lend money on real property in Nodaway County.

We give the best of service in furnishing Abstracts of Title, embodying reliability, accuracy and promptness; the benefit of years of experience and modern methods.

The First Abstract Office, Referring To

The Sisson Loan & Title Company

Business Established 1865

All 'phones **Maryville**

Why Don't You Go With Them?

Who? Those who make the most of life.

Where? To California.

When? Now.

Why? To spend the winter. Obviously because they know by experience, that in its unequaled climate they will avoid the ill effects of rigorous weather, sudden changes and constant menace of catching cold.

You can live almost as cheaply out there and much more comfortably. Then what stands between your enduring the hardships of winter here or enjoying it in the balmy breezes of the Golden West? Nothing but a railroad journey, perhaps. About the latter, I have something real interesting and helpful to tell you. You will be surprised at the low cost of the trip.

W. E. Goforth

Ticket Agent. W. A. Lalor, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis.

Auto Livery Co.

Calls Answered Day or Night....

Closed cars for theatre and party calls, rain or shine. Phones: Hanamo 311; Mutual 180.

Homer W. Shipps
Roy A. Yeaman

FOR CHRISTMAS

We suggest a box or basket of fresh cut flowers or a beautiful blooming plant. Our Christmas selection will be the largest that we have ever had the pleasure of showing our customers, including fresh cut Poinsettias, Roses, Carnations, Narcissus, Sweet Peas, etc. Blooming Cyclamen, Azaleas, Begonias, Etc. Holly and other decorative materials. Wreaths of all sizes from 50c up. Your orders, whether placed in person or by mail or phone, will receive our prompt and careful attention. We deliver all orders promptly.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
1001 South Main St. Phones 17.

INSURANCE

Did You Say

Yes here we are six strong old line companies; for all business we can get.

Chas. Hyslop

Collins & Williams

All kinds of harness repaired and oiled.
See us for prices on new harness.
Satisfaction guaranteed.
ARKOE, MISSOURI

CLEANING AND REPAIRING.

Ask your neighbors about our work. Complete satisfaction. Telephone your order. OVER TOGGERY SHOP.

Van Steenbergh & Son

Have you seen those bargains in diamonds at Raines Bros.?

WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

LOST—Small pocketbook containing $3.50. Return to this office.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, spring farrow. A. B. Dowden, route 3, phone 1-13. 6-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms and a barn. Inquire 114 South Main street. Mrs. Anna Belcher. 22-24

WANTED—To trade 10-acre farm 1½ miles north of town for city property. J. L. Woodard. 22-24

FOUND—A fountain pen. Can have same by identifying pen and paying for this ad. F. L. Flynt. 23-26

Our prices for plumbing are low considering the quality of workmanship. The Standard Plumbing Co.

LOST—A crocheted coin purse containing change. Return to this office. 24-27

FOUND—Little curly dog. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. 24-27

WANTED—To get in touch with all able bodied Spanish-American war veterans. Address Lock box 255, Maryville, Mo. 20-27

FOR SALE—Combination bookcase, iron bed, laundry stove and a few other articles of furniture. 222 West Fourth street. 20-24

NOT TALK, but satisfaction is bringing us the business. Try us. Dr. Becker, "Garmentologist," 209½ North Main.

LOST—A bunch of keys on the streets of Maryville last Saturday. Finder will kindly leave at the Democrat-Forum. 23-26

FOR SALE—Perfectly white diamond, mounted in 14k plain Tiffany mounting, size 5-8 1-16 1-32. Bargain $125.00.

Perfectly white diamond, mounted in 14k plain Tiffany mounting, size 7-8 1-32. Bargain, $163.00. Raines Bros. 19-tf

FOR SALE—My year old Poland-China hog Chief Wonder No. 54558. Reason, can't well use him another year. Guaranteed absolutely right; producer of large uniform litters. Four choice July male pigs, dandy prospects; sired by Chief Wonder. Also some choice White Rock cockerels and a few pullets. W. O. Garrett, North Main street. Hanamo phone 5711; Farmers 43-12. 19-26

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Light Brahma Chickens. Some Good ones. About 100 to select from. S. B. Williams, Arkoe, Mo.

Rose Comb White Wyandottes. Cocks or cockerels for sale. Won first premium on cockerels, first on pen and second and third on pullets at Maryville poultry show last fall. Prices reasonable. Eggs for hatching in season. O. S. Pugsley, proprietor.
SNOWDROP POULTRY YARDS.
Route 3, Ravenwood, Mo.

L. E. DEAN, M. D.
SURGERY.

Internal medicine. Consultation and calls answered promptly. Office over Brink's grocery.

CHAS. E. STILWELL
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW
Office over Maryville National Bank
Maryville, Mo.

K. C. CUMMINS, M. D.
SURGERY and GENERAL PRACTICE.
Office over First National Bank.
Calls answered promptly day and night. All phones.

We are writing

INSURANCE

Fire and Tornado

THE SISSON LOAN AND TITLE CO.